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Containing the lateſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

THURSDAY, *March* 25, 1762.

To his Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, *Eſq; Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of* MARYLAND:

The humble ADDRESS of the UPPER HOUSE of ASSEMBLY.

May it pleaſe your Excellency,

TO accept the thankful Acknowledgments of Us, his Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, for your Speech to both Houſes of Aſſembly at the Opening of this Seſſion.

Since the good Diſpoſition, and earneſt Endeavours of our moſt Gracious Sovereign, to reſtore the Public Tranquility, have been unhappily fruſtrated, we cannot but applaud the Wiſdom of the Reſolution, his Majeſty, ever attentive to the Welfare and true Intereſts of his People, hath thereupon taken; and we entertain the moſt ſanguine Hopes, that his Majeſty's good Subjects in *North-America*, will, by a ready Compliance with his Requiſitions, enable the Commander in Chief of the King's Forces on this Continent immediately to proſecute with Vigour and Succeſs, the ulterior Operations he may have in Command from his Royal Maſter.

Senſible in how diſadvantageous a Light this Province muſt at preſent appear to his Majeſty; remembering with Gratitude how theſe Colonies were, by the vigorous Meaſures of a moſt Excellent Sovereign, and the extraordinary Efforts of the Mother Country, for their Preſervation, but a few Years ago reſcued from the moſt imminent Danger; anxious to ſee our preſent Security firmly eſtabliſhed, by a good and honourable Peace; and, thankful for the ineſtimable Bleſſings the Inhabitants of *Maryland*, in common with their Fellow-Subjects, derive from his Majeſty's auſpicious Reign; we beg Leave to aſſure your Excellency, that this Houſe will embrace every Opportunity of manifeſting their Loyalty, Duty and Attachment, to the Beſt of Kings; and that it will be to us a Matter of the higheſt Joy, if the Proceedings of this new Aſſembly, and the Iſſue of the preſent Seſſion, are ſuch, as may incline our moſt Gracious Sovereign to entertain a favourable Opinion of all the Inhabitants of this Province.

B. TASKER, Preſident.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Upper Houſe of Aſſembly,

THE Terms in which you have expreſſed yourſelves in your obliging Addreſs, for which I return you Thanks, manifeſt your Loyalty, Attachment and Gratitude, to our moſt Gracious Sovereign; and I am confident you will, by your Proceedings on this and every Occaſion, endeavour to promote his Service, and to recommend this Province to his Royal Favour.

HOR°. SHARPE.

To his Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, *Eſq; Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of* MARYLAND:

The humble ADDRESS of the HOUSE of DELEGATES.

May it pleaſe your Excellency,

WE, his Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Delegates of the Freemen of *Maryland*, in Aſſembly convened, return your Excellency our Thanks for your Speech at the Opening of this Seſſion.

We ſhall immediately take the Matters recommended by your Excellency, into our moſt ſerious Conſideration; and as we are under the ſtrongeſt Obligations of Loyalty and Gratitude to the Beſt of Kings, and the Inducement of our own Intereſt, we are determined to uſe our utmoſt Endeavours, with all poſſible Diſpatch, to anſwer the Royal Expectations in a Manner the moſt ſuitable to the Circumſtances of our Conſtituents; of which your Excellency has been ſo candid as to allow, that we muſt be ſuppoſed to be the beſt Judges.

As to the ſevere Reprehenſion contained in the Earl of EGREMONT's Letter, which you have been pleaſed to lay before us, it is the particular Misfortune of this Province to be without an Agent at Home, to repreſent the Tranſactions of their Delegates in their true Light, owing to the conſtant Refuſal of the Upper Houſe to paſs the Bills, which have been at almoſt every Opportunity offered them, for the Support of a Perſon of that Character in *London*. And as that Reprehenſion is ſo general, we muſt conclude that our moſt Gracious Sovereign and his Miniſters, have not been fully and truly informed of the repeated generous Offers of the People, heretofore made by their Repreſentatives, to raiſe very large Supplies for his Majeſty's Service, by Bills paſſed for thoſe Purpoſes, and conſtantly refuſed by the Upper Houſe.

H. HOOPER, Speaker.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Lower Houſe of Aſſembly,

I AM obliged to you for your Promiſe, to take immediately into your moſt ſerious Conſideration, the Matters, which, in Obedience to his Majeſty's Commands, I have recommended to you, and ſhall be much pleaſed, if your Conduct, during the Courſe of this Seſſion, evinces your Loyalty and Gratitude to the Beſt of Kings, and your Readineſs to comply with his Requiſitions.

The Miſcarriage of former Lower Houſes, in any Attempts they may have made towards the Eſtabliſhment of an Agent in London, *to repreſent their Tranſactions to his Majeſty and his Miniſters, you will not, I am in Hopes, impute to me; and if the Journals of the Houſe of Delegates, and the ſeveral Bills offered by them, to the Upper Houſe, may be ſuppoſed to contain a true Repreſentation of their Proceedings, I preſume there cannot have been that great Neceſſity which you ſeem to apprehend, for the Appointment of ſuch a Perſon, becauſe thoſe Journals have been regularly tranſmitted for the Information of his Majeſty's Miniſters; and as the Lower Houſe Journal, for the Seſſion held in* March 1758, *contained the Arguments which had been urged by both Houſes againſt, and in ſupport of, the Supply Bill you ſeem to allude to, I took the Liberty (being as deſirous as any Gentleman among you, to have the Diſpute finally determined) to refer Mr.* PITT, *who was then one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, to that Journal in particular, for a clear and full State of the Diſpute, which had ſubſiſted between the Two Houſes, and I moreover told him, that I was afraid no Supplies for the King's Service would be granted in this Province, unleſs his Majeſty ſhould be pleaſed to have the Diſpute thoroughly examined into, and finally ſettled. At the Deſire of the Lower Houſe in* December 1757, *I ſent a Copy (atteſted by their Clerk) of the Supply Bill they had then Framed, to the Commander in Chief of the King's Forces in* North-America, *who was ſo far from thinking it an Evidence of their Zeal to promote the Service of his Royal Maſter, that he applauded the Conduct of the Upper Houſe in rejecting it. The Opinion of Mr.* PRATT, *his Majeſty's Attorney-General, on the Supply Bill that was offered to the Upper Houſe in* April 1758, *(which Opinion I communicated to the People's Repreſentatives about Two Years ago) will ſhew you in what Light thoſe Offers of theirs, which you term Generous ones, were ſeen by him; and I am apt to think they appeared in pretty much the ſame Light to his Majeſty's Miniſters. The Reſolves of the late Lower Houſes of Aſſembly to raiſe Money for the King's Service, as often as they were pleaſed to make ſuch Reſolves, were communicated to the Generals Commanding the King's Forces on this Continent (ſometimes, as in* April 1759 *and* 1760, *at the particular Requeſt of the Lower Houſe) and I doubt not but thoſe Generals tranſmitted the ſame to one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State: You will not, therefore, I hope, conclude, from the ſevere Reprehenſion contained in the Earl of* EGREMONT's *Letter, that neither our moſt Gracious Sovereign, nor his Miniſters, have as yet been fully and truly informed of the Proceedings of the Gentlemen, who compoſed the late Lower Houſes of Aſſembly in this Province, nor (cautioned as you are by the King's expreſs Command) bring on this Province, by your adopting the Meaſures which former Lower Houſes ſo obſtinately purſued, his Majeſty's juſt Reſentment.*

HOR°. SHARPE.

From a late PAPER.

IT was the Sentiments of one of the moſt ſenſible Men that France ever produced, that there were no Kind of Reading more generally advantageous than the Reading the

NEWS-PAPERS.

He ſaid, and he ſaid truly, that it diffuſed the Knowledge of Geography, Hiſtory, Mechanics, *and indeed the Principles of every Species of uſeful Science, through the whole Maſs of the Nation. The Truth of this will be evident if we conſider that* News-Papers *are common only in polite Nations; and that amongſt* ſtupid *and barbarous People, there are no ſuch Things.*

But beſides theſe general Uſes they have another, which is of ſtill greater Conſequence in a free Country: They afford an Opportunity of bringing all Cauſes before the impartial Tribunal of the Public; which in all Caſes will hear and in ſome Manner redreſs, thoſe Grievances, which no Law can reach. For this Reaſon there never was a Man an Enemy to the Preſs, who was not ſecretly, and in his Heart *an* Enemy *to all* Liberty.

It is to this bringing Grievances before the Tribunal of the Public, that we owe every good Law that has been paſſed within our Memory; and though it may be true that there are many Grievances ſtill unredreſſed, againſt which long Complaints have been often made; yet this is no juſt Objection: For, tho' they are not yet redreſſed, they may and will be in Time; for Circumſtances will, at one Seaſon or other, promote what hitherto they have diſappointed. But there is another very good Effect, which may be looked upon as certain, though we can afford no Proofs of it; it is this, that many more Grievances we ſhould have had, if this Remedy was not always in our Power; and many more Grievances we certainly ſhall have, if ever it is taken from us; which under the Engliſh *Conſtitution we have no Reaſon to fear; becauſe that Conſtitution can fear nothing from it.*

LONDON, *December* 10.

THE Citizens of Dublin judging it incumbent on the City to give ſome public Teſtimony of their Eſteem for all diſtinguiſhed loyal and patriot Characters, long uſed their utmoſt Means to procure the Patriot Miniſter the Freedom of that Metropolis, before they could induce the ruling Part of the City to conſent. They waited long impatiently for an Addreſs of Condolance with their Fellow-Subjects, upon the Reſignation of that moſt worthy Miniſter, and of Thanks to him for the happy Fruits of his Adminiſtration. Judging it diſhonourable to let ſuch an intereſting Event paſs over in Silence, an Advertiſement was publiſhed to invite the Citizens to conſider of ſuch an Addreſs, when the following was agreed upon, and ſigned by ſeveral Hundred Merchants, Traders, and other Citizens.

To the Right Hon. WILLIAM PITT, *Eſq; late one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State.*

The grateful Addreſs of the Merchants and Traders of the City of Dublin.

WE his Majeſty's moſt loyal, dutiful and affectionate Subjects, the Merchants, Traders, and other Citizens of the City of Dublin, whoſe Names are under-written, judge theſe Kingdoms

dons too deeply interested in your withdrawing from the high Station you have lately so eminently and greatly filled, to the Honour and Satisfaction of the Crown and the Subjects, to let so important an Event pass over in silence.

Though thus far removed from the great Scene of Action, we sensibly felt the manifold good Effects of your truly patriot and singularly wise and upright Administration.

To this we must attribute the refusing Britain from the shameful Infection of that pestilential, ministerial Panic, which called Foreign Mercenaries to the Defence of a Country, by her native Force, when properly exerted, more than a Match for Half the Powers of Europe.

To your steady Virtues we stand indebted, for freeing our Mother Country from the Reproach of calling foreign Troops to defend her from a threatened Invasion, and for chastising the Insolence of the vaunting Invader, by inspiring the Councils and Arms of Britain with that ancient true national Spirit, which, when duly exerted, ever has, and ever must render the British Name terrible to her Foes in the utmost Extremities of the Globe.

Under such an Administration we must always see, instead of private Interest, Merit, the only Recommendation to Places of important Trust. By such Measures, as these, it is that we have seen Commerce accompanying Conquest to the remotest Parts of the Earth; while Faction was silenced, and jarring Parties reconciled and united at Home.

Thus, Sir, have your steady Patriot Virtues raised Monuments to your Fame more durable than Marble or Brass.

As the Enemies of these Kingdoms never had so great Cause to exult, as they have from your withdrawing yourself from the Sphere in which alone you could render these unspeakably great Services to your Country; so the true Friends of these Kingdoms never had more just Cause to mourn.

We should therefore think ourselves wanting in Duty to our Patriot King, to our Mother Country, as well as our Native, did we omit giving this public Testimony of our Sense of the Loss which all Britain, by the withdrawing of a Minister of such matchless Abilities, and equal Fidelity, at so important and critical a Conjuncture as the present.

Indulge us then, Great Sir, in venting our Griefs and blending our Tears with those of the rest of our mourning Brethren and Fellow-Subjects in Britain, as well as in other Parts of this Kingdom. Accept our most hearty and unfeigned Acknowledgements for the unspeakable Services and lasting Honours you have already done your native Country, and all the Dominions of the Crown of Britain. And give us leave to assure you that we shall ever admire, and ever with profound Respect and Gratitude remember, the unparalleled Virtues that have so eminently distinguished your Administration.

Extract of a Letter from Madrid, November 10.

"The Art of Printing, which was formerly very much neglected in this Kingdom, has been flourishing some few Years; and we now send Works from our Presses, which, in Point of Typography, are no Ways inferior to the finest Productions of Foreign Presses. However, as this fine Art has not yet reached the Degree of Perfection wherein, by Industry, it may be carried, the King is going to establish an Academy for training up a certain Number of young Gentlemen, so as to make them excellent Printers, by instructing them in divers Sciences to qualify them for the Works wherein they may be employed."

BOSTON, *March* 8.

Last Thursday the General Court voted Two Thousand Men should be immediately raised, to be put under the Command of his Excellency General Amherst, in Addition to the Six Hundred now in the Service: and postponed the further Consideration of augmenting their Forces until next Session: the House of Representatives assuring his Excellency, that such further additional Number of Men would be raised as His Majesty's Service should require.

By a Gentleman who came to Town last Week from Jamaica, via Rhode-Island, we are informed, that he left that Place the Seventh of January last, and that Accounts were received there from Carthagena before he sailed, that a dreadful Earthquake had happened in that Place, which put the Inhabitants into the greatest Consternation: a circumstantial Account of which is shortly expected.

NEW-YORK, *March* 15.

On Saturday last night, a Negro Man belonging to Mr. Caleb Spencer, of Hartford, having for some Fault received a Box on the Ear from his Master, privately took a Gun of his Master's, which he loaded himself, and then putting the Muzzle into his Mouth with his Foot fired the Gun, and shot out his own Brains. His Master sold his Body to Dr. Jepson, who dissected him.

On Wednesday the 24th of February, one Gillet, an elderly Man, who kept House alone at Harrington, in Connecticut, was found stripp'd naked, and lying at the Back of the Chimney, in his own House, dead, and burnt in a shocking Manner; Part of his Face and Hands were consumed, and his Legs and Thighs much burnt.

PHILADELPHIA, *March* 18.

The Assembly of this Province have resolved to raise One Thousand effective Men, to be employed as His Majesty's Commander in Chief in America shall order and appoint.

ANNAPOLIS, *March* 25.

Last Week, the Hon. STEPHEN BORDLEY, Esq; was sworn Commissary-General of this Province, in the Room of the Hon. *John Ridout*, Esq; And,

The Hon. JOHN RIDOUT, Esq; was sworn Naval Officer for *Annapolis* District, in the Room of the Hon. *Stephen Bordley*, Esq;

Monday last his Excellency the Governor Passed a Bill, entitled, *An Act for the Advancement and Continuance of* Prince-George's *and* Queen-Anne's *County Courts*, into a Law, in the usual Manner.

The General Assembly of *Virginia* are to meet at *Williamsburg* the 30th Instant.

BY *the contributional Assistance of a Number of Public-spirited Gentlemen, in* Prince-George's, Charles, *and* St. Mary's, Counties, *a Rider has been maintained and supported, for a good many Years, to go from hence, thro' those Counties, to* St. Mary's *Court-House, regularly and periodically once a Week for 9 Months, and once a Fortnight, for the other 3 Months in the Year: And by the like Assistance from the Gentlemen in* Calvert County, *another has, for several Years, been supported, to go once every Week in the Year, from hence to the lower Part of that County: Lately, by the like Assistance from Gentlemen in the upper Part of* Prince-George's County, *Frederick County, and* Annapolis, *a Rider is established to go from hence, thro' Bladensburg and George-Town to* Rock-Creek *in* Frederick-Town, *regularly once a Week for 9 Months, and once a Fortnight for the other 3 Months. For some Years we had a Rider once a Week from hence to* Snowden's *Works and* Elk-Ridge; *but that weekly Establishment is now dropp'd. By* PUBLIC-SPIRITEDNESS *is meant Beneficence, Munificence, Generosity, Benevolence, every Thing kind and commendable. Animated by these Principles, a Number of Gentlemen in* Talbot, *and* Dorchester Counties, *and thereabouts, and in* Annapolis, *have lately subscribed a Sum to support a Packet-Boat, well fitted and manned, from* Choptank *to* Annapolis *weekly in Summer, and once every Fortnight in the Winter, except unavoidably hinder'd by Frost or Tempests. She began her Voyages the first Week in* March: *Her Times and Places of Attendance are,* At Cambridge *in the Mornings, where she leaves the Letters, &c. and proceeds to* Oxford, *from whence she sails for* Annapolis *in the Wednesday Morning, and leaves* Annapolis *in the Friday Morning for* Oxford: Enough *in the two first Weeks of each Provincial Court, when she is to be at* Annapolis *on each Tuesday. By these Rulers, and by the Packet-Boat, a ready Communication, by Letter is open'd to a great Part of the Province: Wherein subscribers Twenty Shillings a Year, or upwards, towards the Support of the Packet, may enjoy the Benefit in the Use of it as they please, without further Expence, except the happy Sensations which Providence.*

The Road to *St. Mary's* Court-House, leaves the Printing-Office every Saturday, in Summer: Every other Saturday in Winter.

The *Calvert* County Rider, leaves the Office every Friday Morning in the Year.

The *Frederick* County Rider, leaves it early every Friday Morning in Summer; and every other Friday Morning in *December, January, February,* and *March*.

[*Query. Whether these very beneficial Undertakings, are worthy the Notice and Encouragement of the Public?*]

Baltimore-Town, March 13, 1762.

AS the Subscriber is leaving off Tavern-keeping, he requests all Persons indebted to him, to come and settle and discharge their Accounts; which will prevent Trouble to themselves, as well as to JAMES CARY.

TWO PISTOLES REWARD.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Plantation of Mr. *William Neale*, near *Port-Tobacco*, about the 20th of *January* last, a likely Sorrel Horse about 15 Hands and an Inch high, with a Star in his Forehead, has a rug'd Mane, and Switch Tail; but is not branded. And,

At the same Time, Strayed or was Stolen from the above Mr. *Neale*'s, an Iron Grey Mare about 15¾ Hands high, branded on the near Buttock I P.

Whoever will bring the said Horse and Mare to Mr. *William Neale*'s, or will give Intelligence as to they may be got again, shall have One Pistole Reward for each, paid by JAMES HAMILTON.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Philip Fink*, near *Catting Creek*, about ten Miles from *Frederick-Town* in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Horse branded ED on the near Side, has a bob Tail, and is about four Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

PHILADELPHIA RACES.

For the Encouragement of the Breed of fine HORSES, on the Twenty-eighth Day of *April* next will be Run for, on the CENTER COURSE of this City,

A PURSE of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS,

FREE for any Horse, Mare or Gelding, carrying ten Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, if no more than 15 Hands high, and 7 Pounds Weight for each Inch above that Size.—The best of three Heats, four Times round the Course, each Heat.

The Horse, Mare or Gelding, that wineth any two Heats, shall be intitled to the Purse.

All Horses, Mares or Geldings, that run for this Purse, are to be shewn and entered at Mr. *Peter Robinson*'s in this City, four Days before the RACE, and to pay FOUR PISTOLES Entrance, or SIX PISTOLES if entered at the Post.

On the next Day will be Run for, over the same COURSE,

A PURSE of FORTY POUNDS,

Free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding, not full Blood (except the Horse that wins the first Purse) carrying ten Stone, Saddle and Bridle included; the best of three Heats, three Times round the Course each Heat.

All Horses, Mares or Geldings, that run for this Purse, are to be shewn and entered with Mr. *Peter Robinson*, in this City, two Days before the RACE, paying TWO PISTOLES Entrance, or THREE PISTOLES, if entered at the Post.

All Differences to be determined by proper Judges, to be appointed for that Purpose.

The Entrance Money to both Races, will be disposed of in promoting such other Matches as, in the Opinion of the Judges, will be most conducive to the Entertainment of the Company.

January 14, 1762.

STOLEN or Strayed from the *Elk Ridge* Furnace, a Black Mare, 6 Years old, near 13½ Hands high, has a small Star in her Forehead, a Switch Tail, and is branded on the near Buttock L W. Also a Dark Bay Horse, 15 Years old, about 12 Hands high, has a white Lock of Hair in his Mane about a Span from his Ears, with a white Mark descending therefrom down each Side his Neck. Whoever takes up the said Horse and Mare, and secures them so that the Owner may have them again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each, and reasonable Charges, paid by CALEB DORSEY.

Head of *Severn*, *March* 23, 1762.

WHEREAS a certain *Patrick Stewart*, Silversmith, who lately lived in *Baltimore-Town*, did, on or about the 6th of this Instant, hire of me an Iron Grey Horse about 6 Years old, 13¾ Hands high, has a Flaxen Mane and Tail, branded on the near Buttock TR, and was to return the said Horse in two Days from that Time, and to pay at the Rate of Two Shillings and Six-pence *per* Day: And as the said *Patrick Stewart* has since absconded, and taken the said Horse with him, I hereby give Notice, That I will give a Reward of Three Pounds to any Person who will seize and bring the said Horse to me, and will indemnify them if they will arrest the said *Stewart* for the Hire due, wherever they shall find him, in my Name, for which I will likewise satisfy them.

JOHN ROWLES.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Daniel Utterick*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare about 13¾ Hands high, a natural Pacer, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock BL.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Virginia, March 6, 1762.

THE Subscriber now keeps the FERRY, formerly called *Clifton's Ferry*, and will take Passengers at the same Rates that are paid at *Hanover-ferry*: Travellers will meet with private Entertainment, and may depend upon good Dispatch. SAMUEL JOHNSTON.

THE Subscriber having left off going to Sea, is now settled on *Kent-Island*, at *Broad-Creek*, where he keeps TAVERN, and has a good BOAT and HANDS, to Ferry over Gentlemen, and Others, to and from *Annapolis*. Any Gentlemen who shall be pleased to favour him with their Custom, may depend on the best Entertainment and Usage for Themselves and Horses, from Their humble Servant,

THOMAS RATTRAY.

NEW-YORK RACES.

TO be Run for, on Monday the 17th of *May*, on the New Course, at *Harlem*, A PURSE of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding, carrying Ten Stone, the best of three Four Mile Heats, paying three Pistoles Entrance, or double at the Post.

On Tuesday the 18th, a Give and Take Purse, of FORTY POUNDS, free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding, Fourteen Hands to carry Nine Stone, higher or lower, Weight in Proportion, the best of three Four Mile Heats, paying Five Dollars Entrance, or double at the Post.

On Wednesday the 19th, the Entrance of the two first Days to be Run for by Four and Five Years Old only; Four Years Old to carry Eight Stone, and Five Years Old Nine Stone, the best of three Two Mile Heats, paying Two Dollars Entrance, or double at the Post; the Entrance of this Day to go to the Second Horse.

No less than Three reputed Running Horses to Start for either of these Purses, and to Run according to His Majesty's Articles.

All Horses, *&c.* that Run for either of these PURSES, to be entered with Mr. *John Leary*, in *New-York*, on Saturday the 15th of *May*, and proper Certificates under the Hands of the Breeders, to be then produced of the Ages of the Four and Five Years Old. All Disputes will be determined by proper Judges, to be appointed for that Purpose.

TO BE SOLD,

PART of a Tract of Land called *Land Over*, containing Three Hundred and Twenty Acres, lying in *Prince-George's* County; Part of which is cleared, whereon is a good Orchard, together with a small Dwelling-House, Tobacco-House, and some other Out-Houses, all newly built. Also, Part of a Tract of Land called *Burbidge*, containing Two Hundred and Eight Acres, lying in the County aforesaid, on which is a good Orchard, and some other Improvements; both of which Parcels of Land are well Watered and Timbered. For Title and Terms, apply to

WM. TURNOR WOOTTON.

To be LET in ALEXANDRIA,

A RIVER-Side LOT, whereon is a convenient House, 40 Feet by 30, with 4 Rooms below (the largest of which, if any of the mercantile Appellation should be inclinable to Rent the said Lot, is well adapted for the Reception of a Cargo of Goods) and 4 above, a good dry Cellar, and other convenient Houses. For Terms enquire of the Subscriber, living near *Alexandria*.

PHILIP ALEXANDER.

TO BE RUN FOR,

At NOTTINGHAM, *on Tuesday the Thirteenth Day of* April, *by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding*,

A PURSE of TWENTY POUNDS, the best in Three Heats, being about two Miles each Heat, and each Horse, *&c.* to carry 126 *lbs.* if 14 Hands high, and Weight for Size below that Measure.

And, on the Day following, a Purse of TEN POUNDS, and the Entrance Money of both Days: The second Day, full blooded Creatures are excepted; 14 Hands to carry 126 *lbs.* and to rise and fall according to the Rules of Racing.

The Horses to be Entered the Saturday before the Days of Running with Messieurs *Dorsett* and *Hoye*.

The Entrance Money the First Day Twenty Shillings, and the Second Day Ten Shillings.

Any Disputes that arise, to be determin'd by Messrs. *Dorsett* and *Hoye*.

N. B. Those Horses that are not Entered by the Day appointed, to pay double Entrance.

Baltimore-Town, March 11, 1762.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. *Thomas Clendinning*, late of *Baltimore-Town*, Deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment to the Subscribers, otherwise they will be sued: And all Persons having any Demand against the said Estate, are requested to bring in their Claims, that they may be settled, by

THOMAS SLIGH,
ABRAHAM WAYNE, } Executors.

THE Subscriber intending Home in Two Months at farthest, he takes this public Method of acquainting all those that are Indebted to him to come and settle their Accounts by the last of this Month, or they will be sued without any further Notice. And those that have any Accounts against him, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled by

JOHN WELDON.

JOHN INCH, SILVERSMITH.

HEREBY gives Notice, That he still carries on his Silversmith's and Jeweller's Business, buys Gold and Silver, and keeps Tavern as formerly; and has provided himself with a very good House Painter and Glazier lately from *London*, who shall work for any Person very reasonably. He also keeps good Passage-Boats, and has now of his own, and others, Vessels that are fit to carry Grain, *&c.* to and from any Part of *Chesapeak-Bay*; he has also for Sale, a Convict Servant Woman's Time, lately imported, who is a good Staymaker; a great Quantity of Oakum, Ship Bread, Delph, and Stone Ware of divers Sorts, too tedious to mention. 3

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THERE being a considerable Job of Brick and Carpenter's Work, to be done at *St. Paul's* Parish Church, in *Queen-Anne's* County, any Tradesmen inclinable to undertake it, are desired to apply to the Subscribers, being appointed a Committee for that Purpose.

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A TRACT of Land called *Douglass's Chance*, containing 214 Acres, lying in *William and Mary* Parish (commonly known by the Name of *Piccawaxen*).

Also another Tract lying within a Quarter of a Mile of the aforesaid Land, called *Douglass's Beginning*, containing 93 Acres.

Those who are inclinable to purchase the said Lands, by applying to the Subscriber in *Charles* County, may be further informed as to Particulars.

The Sale will be on the Premisses.

X JOSEPH THOMPSON.

ON Thursday the 22d of *April* next, will be Run for, on the Race-Ground in the City of *Annapolis*, the Best of Three Heats round the Poles, A PURSE of THIRTY PISTOLES, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, whose Value does not exceed Sixty Pounds Sterling. Every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, rising Four Years this Season, 14 Hands high, to carry Eight Stone, Five Year Olds Nine Stone, Six Year Olds Ten Stone, and Aged Eleven Stone, to give and take at the Rate of 7 *lbs.* for every Inch under or above 14 Hands. The Horses to be Entered with *Jonas Green* on the Tuesday preceding the Race, and to pay One Pistole Entrance, otherwise to pay Double Entrance at the Post. Subscribers to pay only Half Entrance. If any Person chuses to purchase the winning Horse, the Owner must sell him at Sixty Pounds Sterling; and in Case there should be more than One that chuse to purchase him at this Price, they must draw Lots for him. 5

And, on the Day following, will be Run for, on the same Ground and Terms (the winning Horse of the preceding Day only excluded) a PURSE of TWENTY PISTOLES. The Horses to be Entered on the Thursday before with Mr. *Green*, and to pay Twenty Shillings Entrance, or Ten Shillings if Subscribers.

The Hours of Starting on both Days to be betwixt Two and Three o'Clock in the Afternoon.

All Disputes to be determined by Messrs. *Thomas Sprigg*, *Kensey Johns*, and *Jonas Green*, who are appointed Judges.

Any Rider that is detected in Jostling, Crossing, or using any foul Play, shall be deemed Distanced.

BROKE out of *Talbot* County Goal on the 28th of *January* last, *Edmund Blades*, a tall slim Fellow, was born in *Queen-Anne's* County, near the Head of *Choptank*, he says he has been a Soldier two Years. Whoever will secure the said *Blades* in any Goal in the Province, so that the Subscriber may have him again, shall have a Reward of Three Pounds, and reasonable Charges, paid by 5

WOOLMAN GIBSON, Sheriff.

N. B. It is supposed he cross'd the Mouth of *Choptank* River over to *Dorchester*.

Bladensburg, February 1, 1762.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY, for raising the Sum of Two Hundred and Twenty Pounds, for removing several Shoals, in the *Eastern-Branch* of *Patowmack*, from the Wharf at *Bladensburg* downwards, and from thence to the Bridge upwards, and for enlarging the Wharf:

THE SCHEME.

		Pounds.		*Pounds.*
1	of	100	is	100
2	of	50	are	100
5	of	20	are	100
10	of	10	are	100
30	of	5	are	150
152	of	1 : 10	are	228
1	First drawn Blank			1
1	Last drawn Blank			1
202	Prizes,			780
1798	Blanks.		Sum raised	220
2000	Tickets at 10 *s.* each, are			1000 *£.*

AS the Sum wanted is but small, and the Number of Tickets are few, the Proportion of Prizes to the Blanks could not be increased without making the Prizes so small as to render them not worth the Acceptance of the Adventurers. But as the Price of the Tickets is low, and the designed Application of general Benefit to all interested in Navigation, it's hoped this Scheme, for raising the Sum wanted, will meet with Encouragement from both the Merchant and Planter. 6

The Managers are, Messrs. *Christopher Lowndes*, *John Rowe*, *Thomas Chittam*, *Richard Henderson*, *Francis Hatfield*, *Daniel Stephenson*, *Richard Whittle*, *Thomas Gantt*, junr. (one of the first Commissioners for laying out *Bladensburg*), and *David Ross*: They will give Bond for their faithful Performance, and act upon Oath in the Discharge of the Trust reposed in them.

Notice of the Time of Drawing, at *Bladensburg*, will be given in this GAZETTE. Prizes not demanded in Six Months after Publication of the Numbers, will be deemed as generously given to the Design.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office in *Annapolis*.

N. B. Dollars, Pistoles, or *Pennsylvania* Currency, will be received as they now Pass, for Tickets; and the Prizes paid off in like Manner.

doms too deeply interested in your withdrawing from the high Station you have lately so eminently and greatly filled, to the Honour and Satisfaction of the Crown and the Subjects, to let so important an Event pass over in silence.

Though thus far removed from the great Scene of Action, we sensibly felt the manifold good Effects of your truly patriot and singularly wise and upright Administration.

To this we must attribute the rescuing Britain from the shameful Infection of that pestilential, ministerial Panic, which called Foreign Mercenaries to the Defence of a Country, by her native Force, when properly exerted, more than a Match for Half the Powers of Europe.

To your steady Virtues we stand indebted, for freeing our Mother Country from the Reproach of calling foreign Troops to defend her from a threatened Invasion, and for chastizing the Insolence of the vaunting Invader, by inspiring the Councils and Arms of Britain with that antient true national Spirit, which, when duly exerted, ever has, and ever must render the British Name terrible to her Foes in the utmost Extremities of the Globe.

Under such an Administration we must always see, instead of private Interest, Merit, the only Recommendation to Places of important Trust. By such Measures, as these, it is that we have seen Commerce accompanying Conquest to the remotest Parts of the Earth; while Faction was silenced, and jarring Parties reconciled and united at Home.

Thus, Sir, have your steady Patriot Virtues raised Monuments to your Fame more durable than Marble or Brass.

As the Enemies of these Kingdoms never had so great Cause to exult, as they have from your withdrawing yourself from the Sphere in which alone you could render these unspeakably great Services to your Country; so the true Friends of these Kingdoms never had more just Cause to mourn.

We should therefore think ourselves wanting in Duty to our Patriot King, to our Mother Country, as well as our Native, did we omit giving this public Testimony of our Sense of the Loss which all sustain, by the withdrawing of a Minister of such matchless Abilities, and equal Fidelity, at so important and critical a Conjuncture as the present.

Indulge us thus, Great Sir, in venting our Griefs and blending our Tears with those of the rest of our mourning Brethren and Fellow-Subjects in Britain, as well as in other Parts of this Kingdom. Accept our most hearty and unfeigned Acknowledgements for the unspeakable Services and lasting Honours you have already done your native Country, and all the Dominions of the Crown of Britain. And give us leave to assure you that we shall ever admire, and ever with profound Respect and Gratitude remember, the unparalleled Virtues that have so eminently distinguished your Administration.

Extract of a Letter from Madrid, November 10.

"The Art of Printing, which was formerly very much neglected in this Kingdom, has been flourishing some few Years; and we now send Works from our Presses, which, in Point of Typography, are no Ways inferior to the finest Productions of Foreign Presses. However, as this fine Art has not yet reached the Degree of Perfection whereto, by Industry, it may be carried, the King is going to establish an Academy for training up a certain Number of young Gentlemen, so as to make them excellent Printers, by instructing them in divers Sciences to qualify them for the Works wherein they may be employed."

BOSTON, *March* 8.

Last Thursday the General Court voted Two Thousand Men should be immediately raised, to be put under the Command of his Excellency General Amherst, in Addition to the Six Hundred now in the Service; and postponed the further Confideration of compleating their Forces until next Session; the House of Representatives assuring his Excellency, that such further additional Number of Men would be raised as His Majesty's Service should require.

By a Gentleman who came to Town last Week from Jamaica, via Rhode-Island, we are informed, that he left that Place the Seventh of January last, and that Accounts were received there from Carthagena before he sailed, that a dreadful Earthquake had happened at that Place, which put the Inhabitants into the greatest Consternation; a circumstantial Account of which is shortly expected.

NEW-YORK, *March* 15.

On Saturday Se'nnight, a Negro Man belonging to Mr. Caleb Spencer, of Hartford, having for some Fault received a Box on the Ear from his Master, privately took a Gun of his Master's, which he loaded himself, and then putting the Muzzle into his Mouth with his Foot fired the Gun, and shot out his own Brains. His Master sold his Body to Dr. Jepson, who dissected him.

On Wednesday the 24th of February, one Gillet, an elderly Man, who kept House alone at Harrington, in Connecticut, was found stripp'd naked, and lying at the Back of the Chimney, in his own House, dead, and burnt in a shocking Manner; Part of his Face and Hands were consumed, and his Legs and Thighs much burnt.

PHILADELPHIA, *March* 18.

The Assembly of this Province have resolved to raise One Thousand effective Men, to be employed as His Majesty's Commander in Chief in America shall order and appoint.

ANNAPOLIS, *March* 25.

Last Week, the Hon. STEPHEN BORDLEY, Esq; was sworn Commissary-General of this Province, in the Room of the Hon. *John Ridout*, Esq; And,

The Hon. JOHN RIDOUT, Esq; was sworn Naval Officer for *Annapolis* District, in the Room of the Hon. *Stephen Bordley*, Esq;

Monday last his Excellency the Governor Passed a Bill, entituled, *An Act for the Adjournment and Continuance of* Prince-George's *and* Queen-Anne's *County Courts*, into a Law, in the usual Manner.

The General Assembly of *Virginia* are to meet at *Williamsburg* the 30th Instant.

By the contributional Assistance of a Number of Public-spirited Gentlemen, in Prince-George's, Charles, *and* St. Mary's, *Counties, a Rider has been maintained and supported, for a good many Years, to go from hence, thro' those Counties, to* St. Mary's *Court-House, regularly and periodically once a Week for* 9 *Months, and once a Fortnight, for the other* 3 *Months in the Year: And by the like Assistance from the Gentlemen in* Calvert *County, another has, for several Years, been supported, to go once every Week in the Year, from hence to the lower Part of that County: Lately, by the like Assistance from Gentlemen in the upper Part of* Prince-George's *County, in* Frederick *County, and* Annapolis, *a Rider is established to go from hence, thro'* Bladensburg *and* George-Town *on* Rock-Creek *to* Frederick-Town, *regularly once a Week for* 8 *Months, and once a Fortnight for the other* 4 *Months. For some Years we had a Rider once a Week from hence to* Snowden's *Works and* Elk-Ridge; *but that weakly Establishment is now dropp'd. By* PUBLIC-SPIRITEDNESS *is meant Beneficence, Munificence, Generosity, Benevolence, every Thing good and commendable. Animated by those Principles, a Number of Gentlemen in* Talbot, *and* Dorchester *Counties, and thereabouts, and in* Annapolis, *have lately subscribed a Sum to support a Packet-Boat, well fitted and mann'd, from* Choptank *to* Annapolis *weekly in Summer, and once every Fortnight in the Winter, except unavoidably hinder'd by Frost or Tempests. She begun her Stages the first Week in* March: *Her Times and Places of Attendance are, At* Cambridge *on the Mondays, which she leaves in the Afternoon, and proceeds to* Oxford, *from whence she sails for* Annapolis *on the Wednesday Morning, and leaves* Annapolis *on the Friday Morning for* Oxford: *Except in the two first Weeks of each Provincial Court, when she is to be at* Annapolis *on each Tuesday. By these Riders, and by the Packet-Boat, a ready Communication by Letter is open'd to a great Part of the Province: Whoever subscribes Twenty Shillings a Year, or upwards, towards the Support of the Packet, may cross the Bay in her as often as they please, without further Expence, except the supplying themselves with Provisions.*

The Rider to *St. Mary's* Court-House, leaves the Printing-Office every Saturday, in Summer: Every other Saturday in Winter.

The *Calvert* County Rider, leaves the Office every Friday Morning in the Year.

The *Frederick* County Rider, leaves it early every Friday Morning in Summer; and every other Friday Morning in *December, January, February*, and *March*.

[Quere. *Whether those very beneficial Undertakings, are unworthy the Notice and Encouragement of the Public.*]

Baltimore-Town, March 13, 1762.

AS the Subscriber is leaving off Tavern-keeping, he requests all Persons indebted to him, to come and settle and discharge their Accounts; which will prevent Trouble to themselves, as well as to

JAMES CARY.

TWO PISTOLES REWARD.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Plantation of Mr. *William Neale*, near *Port-Tobacco*, about the 14th of *January* last, a likely Sorrel Horse about 13 Hands and an Inch high, with a Star in his Forehead, has a ridg'd Mane, and Switch Tail; but is not branded. And,

At the same Time, Strayed or was Stolen from the above Mr. *Neale's*, an Iron Grey Mare about 13½ Hands high, branded on the near Buttock I P.

Whoever will bring the said Horse and Mare to Mr. *William Neale's*, or will give Intelligence so as they may be got again, shall have One Pistole Reward for each, paid by JAMES HAMILTON.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Philip Fink*, near *Catling* Creek, about ten Miles from *Frederick-Town* in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Horse branded E D on the near Side, has a bob Tail, and is about four Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Mr. Steuart

PHILADELPHIA RACES.

For the Encouragement of the Breed of fine HORSES, on the Twenty-eighth Day of *April* next will be Run for, on the CENTER COURSE of this City,

A PURSE of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS,

FREE for any Horse, Mare or Gelding, carrying ten Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, if no more than 15 Hands high, and 7 Pounds Weight for each Inch above that Size.—The best of three Heats, four Times round the Course, each Heat.

The Horse, Mare or Gelding, that wineth any two Heats, shall be intitled to the Purse.

All Horses, Mares or Geldings, that run for this Purse, are to be shewn and entered at Mr. *Peter Robinson*'s in this City, four Days before the RACE, and to pay FOUR PISTOLES Entrance, or SIX PISTOLES if entered at the Post.

On the next Day will be Run for, over the same COURSE,

A PURSE of FORTY POUNDS,

Free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding, not full Blood (except the Horse that wins the first Purse) carrying ten Stone, Saddle and Bridle included; the best of three Heats, three Times round the Course each Heat.

All Horses, Mares or Geldings, that run for this Purse, are to be shewn and entered with Mr. *Peter Robinson*, in this City, two Days before the RACE, paying TWO PISTOLES Entrance, or THREE PISTOLES, if entered at the Post.

All Differences to be determined by proper Judges, to be appointed for that Purpose.

The Entrance Money to both Races, will be disposed of in promoting such other Matches as, in the Opinion of the Judges, will be most conducive to the Entertainment of the Company.

January 14, 1762.

STOLEN or Strayed from the *Elk-Ridge* Furnace, a Black Mare, 6 Years old, near 13½ Hands high, has a small Star in her Forehead, a Switch Tail, and is branded on the near Buttock L W. Also a Dark Bay Horse, 15 Years old, about 12 Hands high, has a white Lock of Hair in his Mane about a Span from his Ears, with a white Mark descending therefrom down each Side his Neck. Whoever takes up the said Horse and Mare, and secures them so that the Owner may have them again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each, and reasonable Charges, paid by

CALEB DORSEY.

Head of *Severn, March* 23, 1762.

WHEREAS a certain *Patrick Sinnott*, Silversmith, who lately lived in *Baltimore-Town*, did, on or about the 6th of this Instant, hire of me an Iron Grey Horse about 6 Years old, 13½ Hands high, has a Flaxen Mane and Tail, branded on the near Buttock TR, and was to return the said Horse in two Days from that Time, and to pay at the Rate of Two Shillings and Six-pence *per* Day: And as the said *Patrick Sinnott* has since absconded, and taken the said Horse with him, I hereby give Notice, That I will give a Reward of Three Pounds to any Person who will seize and bring the said Horse to me, and will indemnify them if they will arrest the said *Sinnott* for the Hire due, wherever they shall find him, in my Name, for which I will likewise satisfy them.

JOHN ROWLES.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Daniel Ulterrik*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare about 13½ Hands high, a natural Pacer, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock BL.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Virginia, March 6, 1762.

THE Subscriber now keeps the FERRY, formerly called *Clifton*'s Ferry, and will take Passengers at the same Rates that are paid at *Alexandria*: Travellers will meet with private Entertainment, and may depend upon good Dispatch. SAMUEL JOHNSTON.

THE Subscriber having left off going to Sea, is now settled on *Kent-Island*, at *Broad-Creek*, where he keeps TAVERN, and has a good BOAT and HANDS, to Ferry over Gentlemen, and Others, to and from *Annapolis*. Any Gentlemen who shall be pleased to Favour him with their Custom, may depend on the best Entertainment and Usage for Themselves and Horses, from

Their humble Servant,

THOMAS RAYMER.

NEW-YORK RACES.

TO be Run for, on Monday the 17th of *May*, on the New Courſe, at *Harlem*, A PURSE of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, free for any Horſe, Mare or Gelding, carrying Ten Stone, the beſt of three Four Mile Heats, paying three Piſtoles Entrance, or double at the Poſt.

On Tueſday the 18th, a Give and Take Purſe, of FORTY POUNDS, free for any Horſe, Mare or Gelding, Fourteen Hands to carry Nine Stone, higher or lower, Weight in Proportion, the beſt of three Four Mile Heats, paying Five Dollars Entrance, or double at the Poſt.

On Wedneſday the 19th, the Entrance of the two firſt Days to be Run for by Four and Five Years Old only; Four Years Old to carry Eight Stone, and Five Years Old Nine Stone, the beſt of three Two Mile Heats, paying Two Dollars Entrance, or double at the Poſt; the Entrance of this Day to go to the Second Horſe.

No leſs than Three reputed Running Horſes to Start for either of theſe Purſes, and to Run according to His Majeſty's Articles.

All Horſes, *&c.* that Run for either of theſe PURSES, to be entered with Mr. *John Leary*, in *New-York*, on Saturday the 15th of *May*, and proper Certificates under the Hands of the Breeders, to be then produced of the Ages of the Four and Five Years Old. All Diſputes will be determined by proper Judges, to be appointed for that Purpoſe.

TO BE SOLD,

PART of a Tract of Land called *Land Over*, containing Three Hundred and Twenty Acres, lying in *Prince-George's* County; Part of which is cleared, whereon is a good Orchard, together with a ſmall Dwelling-Houſe, Tobacco-Houſe, and ſome other Out-Houſes, all newly built. Alſo, Part of a Tract of Land called *Burbidge*, containing Two Hundred and Eight Acres, lying in the County aforeſaid, on which is a good Orchard, and ſome other Improvements; both of which Parcels of Land are well Watered and Timbered. For Title and Terms, apply to

WM. TURNOR WOOTTON.

To be LET in ALEXANDRIA,

A RIVER-Side LOT, whereon is a convenient Houſe, 40 Feet by 30, with 4 Rooms below (the largeſt of which, if any of the mercantile Appellation ſhould be inclinable to Rent the ſaid Lot, is well adapted for the Reception of a Cargo of Goods) and 4 above, a good dry Cellar, and other convenient Houſes. For Terms enquire of the Subſcriber, living near *Alexandria*.

PHILIP ALEXANDER.

TO BE RUN FOR,

At NOTTINGHAM, *on Tueſday the Thirteenth Day of* April, *by any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding*,

A PURSE of TWENTY POUNDS, the beſt in Three Heats, being about two Miles each Heat, and each Horſe, *&c.* to carry 126 *lbs.* if 14 Hands high, and Weight for Size below that Meaſure.

And, on the Day following, a Purſe of TEN POUNDS, and the Entrance Money of both Days: The ſecond Day, full blooded Creatures are excepted; 14 Hands to carry 126 *lbs.* and to riſe and fall according to the Rules of Racing.

The Horſes to be Entered the Saturday before the Days of Running with Meſſieurs *Dorſett* and *Hoye*.

The Entrance Money the Firſt Day Twenty Shillings, and the Second Day Ten Shillings.

Any Diſputes that ariſe, to be determin'd by Meſſrs. *Dorſett* and *Hoye*.

N. B. Thoſe Horſes that are not Entered by the Day appointed, to pay double Entrance.

Baltimore-Town, March 11, 1762.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Mr. *Thomas Clendinning*, late of *Baltimore-Town*, Deceaſed, are deſired to make immediate Payment to the Subſcribers, otherwiſe they will be ſued: And all Perſons having any Demand againſt the ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to bring in their Claims, that they may be ſettled, by

THOMAS SLIGH, ABRAHAM WAYNE, } Executors.

THE Subſcriber intending Home in Two Months at fartheſt, he takes this public Method of acquainting all thoſe that are Indebted to him to come and ſettle their Accounts by the laſt of this Month, or they will be ſued without any further Notice. And thoſe that have any Accounts againſt him, are deſired to bring them in, that they may be ſettled by

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To be SOLD to the Higheſt Bidder, on the Twelfth of May, *for ready Sterling Caſh, and entered upon in* December,

A TRACT of Land called *Douglaſs's Chance*, containing 214 Acres, lying in *William and Mary* Pariſh (commonly known by the Name of *Piccawaxen*).

Alſo another Tract lying within a Quarter of a Mile of the aforeſaid Land, called *Douglaſs's Beginning*, containing 93 Acres.

Thoſe who are inclinable to purchaſe the ſaid Lands, by applying to the Subſcriber in *Charles* County, may be further informed as to Particulars.

The Sale will be on the Premiſſes.

JOSEPH THOMPSON.

ON Thurſday the 22d of *April* next, will be Run for, on the Race-Ground in the City of *Annapolis*, the Beſt of Three Heats round the Poles, A PURSE of THIRTY PISTOLES, by any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, whoſe Value does not exceed Sixty Pounds Sterling. Every Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, riſing Four Years this Season, 14 Hands high, to carry Eight Stone, Five Year Olds Nine Stone, Six Year Olds Ten Stone, and Aged Eleven Stone, to give and take at the Rate of 7 *lbs.* for every Inch under or above 14 Hands. The Horſes to be Entered with *Jonas Green* on the Tueſday preceding the Race, and to pay One Piſtole Entrance, otherwiſe to pay Double Entrance at the Poſt. Subſcribers to pay only Half Entrance. If any Perſon chuſes to purchaſe the winning Horſe, the Owner muſt ſell him at Sixty Pounds Sterling; and in Caſe there ſhould be more than One that chuſe to purchaſe him at this Price, they muſt draw Lots for him.

And, on the Day following, will be Run for, on the ſame Ground and Terms (the winning Horſe of the preceding Day only excluded) a PURSE of TWENTY PISTOLES. The Horſes to be Entered on the Thurſday before with Mr. *Green*, and to pay Twenty Shillings Entrance, or Ten Shillings if Subſcribers.

The Hours of Starting on both Days to be betwixt Two and Three o'Clock in the Afternoon.

All Diſputes to be determined by Meſſrs. *Thomas Sprigg, Kenſey Johns*, and *Jonas Green*, who are appointed Judges.

Any Rider that is detected in Joſtling, Croſſing, or uſing any foul Play, ſhall be deemed Diſtanced.

BROKE out of *Talbot* County Goal on the 28th of *January* laſt, *Edmund Blades*, a tall ſlim Fellow, was born in *Queen-Anne's* County, near the Head of *Choptank*, he ſays he has been a Soldier two Years. Whoever will ſecure the ſaid *Blades* in any Goal in the Province, ſo that the Subſcriber may have him again, ſhall have a Reward of Three Pounds, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

WOOLMAN GIBSON, Sheriff.

N. B. It is ſuppoſed he croſs'd the Mouth of *Choptank* River over to *Dorcheſter*.

Bladenſburg, February 1, 1762.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY, for raiſing the Sum of Two Hundred and Twenty Pounds, for removing ſeveral Shoals, in the *Eaſtern-Branch* of *Patowmack*, from the Wharf at *Bladenſburg* downwards, and from thence to the Bridge upwards, and for enlarging the Wharf:

THE SCHEME.

		Pounds.		*Pounds.*
1	of	100	is	100
2	of	50	are	100
5	of	20	are	100
10	of	10	are	100
30	of	5	are	150
152	of	1 : 10	are	228
1	First drawn Blank			1
1	Laſt drawn Blank			1
202	Prizes,			780
1798	Blanks.	Sum raiſed		220

2000 Tickets at 10 *s.* each, are 1000 *£.*

AS the Sum wanted is but ſmall, and the Number of Tickets are few, the Proportion of Prizes to the Blanks could not be increaſed without making the Prizes ſo ſmall as to render them not worth the Acceptance of the Adventurers. But as the Price of the Tickets is low, and the deſigned Application of general Benefit to all intereſted in Navigation, it's hoped this Scheme, for raiſing the Sum wanted, will meet with Encouragement from both the Merchant and Planter.

The Managers are, Meſſrs. *Chriſtopher Lowndes, John Rowe, Thomas Chittam, Richard Henderſon, Francis Hatfield, Daniel Stephenſon, Richard Whittle, Thomas Gantt*, junr. (one of the firſt Commiſſioners for laying out *Bladenſburg*), and *David Roſs*: They will give Bond for their faithful Performance, and act upon Oath in the Diſcharge of the Truſt repoſed in them.

Notice of the Time of Drawing, at *Bladenſburg*, will be given in this GAZETTE. Prizes not demanded in Six Months after Publication of the Numbers, will be deemed as generouſly given to the Deſign.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office in *Annapolis*.

N. B. Dollars, Piſtoles, or *Pennſylvania* Currency, will be received as they now Paſs, for Tickets; and the Prizes paid off in like Manner.

IF *James Tipper*, Butcher, who came in to this Place about 13 or 14 Years ago, and ſerved his Time here with *Daniel Wells*, be Living, and will apply to the Printing-Office, he will hear of ſomething worth enquiring about. After he left *Annapolis*, he lived ſome Time near *Upper-Marlborough*, from whence he removed over to *Virginia*, and is ſuppos'd to live now not far from *Alexandria*.

Baltimore-Town, *February* 16th, 1762.

THE Subſcriber being encouraged, by a Number of Gentlemen in this Place, to Teach a GRAMMAR SCHOOL, gives this Public Notice, That all who are inclined to have their Children Educated, may be aſſured that there will be due Care, and punctual Attendance given, by *Their humble Servant*, JOHN ARCHER.

THE Managers of the *Frederick-Town Calviniſt Church Lottery*, give Notice, That altho' for a while the Lottery ſeem'd to be at a Stand, yet now, a Number of Adventurers have agreed to take a great many of the Tickets, and they ſell faſt, ſo that the Public may depend on it's being Drawn the 12th Day of *May* next. A few of the Tickets to be had of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office.

St. Mary's County, *January* 25, 1762.

ALL Perſons Indebted to Meſſrs. *John Pagan*, *Alexander Brown*, and Company, Merchants in *Glaſgow*, for Dealings with Mr. *Alexander M'Farlane*, their Factor, till *June* 23d, 1759, or with *Thomas Franciſs* till the 1ſt of *January*, 1762, are hereby deſired immediately to pay off, or ſettle to the Satisfaction of the Subſcriber (Factor for ſaid Company) their reſpective Ballances, otherwiſe they may expect, without Reſpect of Perſons, to be dealt with as the Law directs.

All who have any Demands againſt the ſaid Company, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjuſted and paid off.

Attendance will be given at *Chaptico* for the above Purpoſes.

As the Subſcriber intends to leave the Country this Summer, he hopes all that this concerns, will pay due Notice thereto, as they will thereby preſent Expence to themſelves, and Trouble to

Their moſt humble Servant,
THOMAS FRANCISS.

Baltimore-Town, January 20, 1762.

JUST IMPORTED,

By BUCHANAN *and* HUGHES, *in the* Maryland-Packet, *Capt.* Ramſay, *from* LONDON, *and the* Betſy, *Capt.* Andrews, *from* BRISTOL,

A LARGE and neat Aſſortment of *European* and *Eaſt-India* GOODS, which will be Sold cheap for Caſh or ſhort Credit.

Tobacco, merchantable Flour, Wheat, Hemp, *&c.* will be received as Pay, at Market Price.

They have alſo to diſpoſe of, a Quantity of Rum, Sugars, and Wines.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near the Mouth of the *Eaſtern-Branch* of *Patowmack*, a Mulatto Man, about 28 or 29 Years of Age, nigh 6 Feet high, calls himſelf *Billy Carroll*, and is a Carpenter by Trade. He had on and took with him, a Pair of Purple Leather Breeches, a light Cloth colour'd Coat, a Check Shirt, an Oſnabrigs Ditto, a Pair of black Worſted Stockings, a Pair of Yarn Ditto, a red Waiſtcoat, a Pair of Pumps, and a Pair of Shoes.

Whoever brings the ſaid Fellow to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Four Piſtoles Reward, if taken out of the County, or Two Piſtoles if within it, and reaſonable Charges. NOTLEY YOUNG.

Annapolis, *February* 4th, 1762.

THE Subſcriber having declined Buſineſs, and intending to remove ſoon to his Diſtrict on *Patowmack*, deſires all Perſons indebted to him, to come and ſettle their reſpective Accounts, by Bond, Bill, or otherwiſe, with Mr. *George Clarke*, who is impowered to receive the ſame. The Accounts of thoſe Perſons who neglect complying with this reaſonable Requiſition, will be immediately put in Suit. DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

TO BE SOLD,

SOME few Pipes of choice old *Madeira* WINE, and good *Barbados* RUM by the Hogſhead.
GEORGE CLARKE.

Baltimore County, *January* 4, 1762.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Perſons who have taken, or ſubſcribed their Names for Lots of Ground, according to their Numbers, in a late Plan for a Town joining *Patapſco* River, in ſaid County, near *Baltimore-Town*, *Maryland*, on a Point known by the Name of *Fell's-Point*, That their Leaſes are now ready to be filled up, and that conſtant Attendance will be given, at the Houſe of the Subſcriber on ſaid Point, till the Twentieth Day of *April* next, in Order to execute ſuch Leaſes, and that all Perſons ſo ſubſcribing their Names for Lots, and refuſing or neglecting to take Leaſes for them till the 21ſt Day of *April* next, their Subſcription will be looked upon as void and of no effect, and the Lots ſo refuſed or neglected will be offered to others.

EDWARD FELL.

Baltimore-Town, *January* 20, 1762.

WANTED, as an OVERSEER,

A MAN who underſtands Plantation Buſineſs. Such a one, who can be recommended for his Care and Induſtry, will meet with great Encouragement, by applying to THOMAS JONES.

To be FREIGHTED,

THE new Sloop CHARLOTTE, which will be well fitted for the Sea. She was Built for a very faſt Sailer, and will not carry ſo much as ſhe might have done if Built otherwiſe, but will carry near 3000 Buſhels of Grain. Enquire of Mr. *Samuel Chew* at *Herring-Bay*.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Wedneſday the Sixteenth of June *next, at the Houſe of* Arthur Charlton, *in* Frederick-Town, *in* Frederick *County*,

THE following Tracts of LAND, late the Eſtate of Mr. *James Wardrop*, deceaſed, all lying in *Frederick* County.

	Acres.
One Tract called *Hazard*, lying on *Little Conococheague*, containing - -	790
One Ditto called *Partnerſhip*, lying on the Weſt Side of *Manockaſy*, below the Upper Ford, - - - - - - - -	280
Dear Bought, lying on a Draught of *Anti-Eatam*, near the Head of a Spring at *Thomas Anderſon's* old Place, - -	500
Green Spring, lying on the Eaſt Side of a Run about 50 Perches below the *Green Spring*, - - - - - - - -	210
Cool Spring, lying about a Mile from *John Burgeſs's*, and near the main Road that leads thro' *Frederick-Town*, - -	75
Nut Spring, lying about 8 Miles from *Frederick-Town*, on a Run call'd *Mill-Creek*, that runs into *Kittockton Creek*,	114
John's Delight, lying on a ſmall Run called *Curry's Branch*, at the Foot of *Shanendore Mountain*, near *Curry's Gap*,	104
Bloomſbury, lying Half a Mile from *John Burgeſs's* Houſe, - - - - -	104
Piney Hill, lying about 8 Miles above the Mouth of *Conococheague*, on the Eaſt Side of *Lick Run*, near *Patowmack* River,	86
Brentford, lying near *John George Arnold's*, on the Weſt Side of the Road leading from *Conococheague* to *Frederick-Town*, - - - - - - - - - -	35
Oxford, lying near a Branch called *John Chryſtee's Spring Branch*, on the North Side of the main Road leading thro' *Frederick-Town*, by *Robert Evans's*,	54
Red Oak Level, joining to a Tract of Land called *Needwood*, formerly laid out for Col. *Thomas Creſap*, - - - -	100

For Title, or Terms of Sale, apply to

JAMES DICK.

TO BE SOLD,

THREE Tracts of Land adjoining, containing upwards of Twelve Hundred Acres, lying on *Elk-Ridge* about Eight Miles from *Patapſco* Landing. For Title and Terms apply to

FRANCIS HATFIELD.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY.

THE Members of the *Preſbyterian* Congregation in *Kent* County, *Maryland*, find themſelves under the Neceſſity of ſolliciting the Favour and Aſſiſtance of the Public in this Way, in order to enable them to compleat and finiſh their two Meeting-Houſes now building, and alſo to purchaſe a Parſonage or Glebe; that they may be enabled, with Decency, to worſhip GOD, and in a becoming Manner to ſupport a Goſpel Miniſter among them, according to their own Perſuaſion.

They Doubt not but this their laudable Deſign will meet with all proper Encouragement, from all thoſe who wiſh well to the common Cauſe of Religion, and are acquainted with their Circumſtances, eſpecially as the Scheme is well calculated for the Advantage of the Adventurer.

Number of Prizes.		Pieces of 8.		Total Value.
1	of	1000	is	1000
1	of	750	is	750
2	of	500	are	1000
3	of	250	are	750
10	of	100	are	1000
20	of	40	are	800
50	of	10	are	500
1250	of	8	are	10000
First drawn Blank 1	of	50	is	50
Laſt drawn Blank 1	of	50	is	50
Laſt drawn Blank before the 1000 } 1	of	25	is	25
Firſt drawn Blank after the 1000 } 1	of	25	is	25
Laſt drawn Blank before the 750 } 1	of	25	is	25
Firſt drawn Blank after the 750 } 1	of	25	is	25

1343 Prizes,
2657 Blanks.

4000 { Tickets at 4 Dollars each, are } 16000

IN this Scheme there is not two Blanks to a Prize; the Number of high Prizes are as many as in Lotteries conſiſting of 5000 Tickets; the Deduction only 15 *per Cent*; ſo that upon the Whole, this will appear to be one of the moſt favourable Schemes for the Adventurer yet offered to the Public.

The Drawing will begin at *George-Town* as ſoon as the Tickets are diſpoſed of. The Prizes will be publiſhed in the *Maryland* and *Pennſylvania* Gazettes, and the Prize Money paid as ſoon as the Drawing is finiſhed. That which is not Demanded within Six Months after the Drawing, will be deemed as generouſly given to the Uſe of the Scheme, and applied accordingly.

The following Perſons are appointed Managers, *viz.* *John Hepburn*, Eſq; Meſſrs. *William Raſin*, *Dennis Dulany*, *James Louttit*, *Charles Gordon*, *John Maxwell*, *James Pearce*, *John Schaw*, *James Harriſon* (*Suſquehanna* Ferry), *Hugh Wallis*, and *John McDuff*, who are to give Bond and be upon Oath for the faithful Diſcharge of the Truſt repoſed in them.

TICKETS are now ſelling by the Managers, at their reſpective Habitations, and by Meſſieurs *Jonas Green*, and *Robert Couden*, at *Annapolis*; by Meſſieurs *David Roſs*, and *Thomas Campbell*, in *Prince-George's* County; by Mr. *John Boyd*, in *Joppa*; by Mr. *Francis Key*, and Captain *George Catto*, in *Cæcil* County; by Meſſieurs *Thomas Ringgold*, and *Thomas Smith*, in *Cheſter-Town*; by Meſſieurs *John Bracco*, and *Matthew Dockery*, in *Queen-Anne's* County; by Dr. *Charles Leith*, at *Talbot* Court-Houſe; by Mr. *John Anderſon*, at *Cambridge*; and by Meſſieurs *William M'Ilvaine*, and *Charles Pettit*, Merchants, in *Philadelphia*.

WHEREAS the Act of Aſſembly of this Province, made and paſſed in 1733, *for emitting and making current Ninety Thouſand Pounds*, is near Expiring; The Commiſſioners of the Loan Office therefore think it their Duty, to inform all thoſe who have any Bonds in that Office, to come and diſcharge the ſame; otherwiſe they will be proceeded againſt as the Law directs.

Signed per *Order*,
ROBERT COUDEN, Cl. P. C. Office.

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